

RESOLUTION NO.: 11-31

RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HIALEAH, FLORIDA, STRONGLY SUPPORTING THE ADOPTION INTO LAW OF SENATE BILL 1212 INTRODUCED BY FLORIDA SENATOR RENE GARCIA PROPOSING TO PENALIZE PERSONS WHO SMOKE INSIDE A VEHICLE WHILE IN THE PRESENCE OF A MINOR CHILD OF LESS THAN 7 YEARS OF AGE.

WHEREAS, second-hand smoke has been proven highly detrimental to the health of children;

WHEREAS, it is the moral obligation of every adult responsible for the care of a child to act in the child's best interest; and

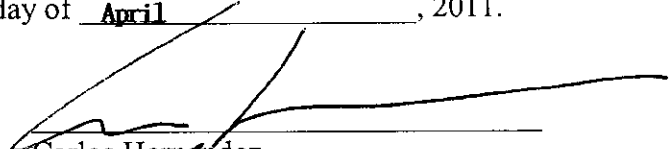
WHEREAS, it is our society's moral obligation to provide the best environment for our children to thrive in and grow to their highest potential.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HIALEAH, FLORIDA, THAT:

Section 1. The foregoing facts and recitations contained in the preamble of this resolution are hereby adopted and incorporated by reference as if fully set forth herein.

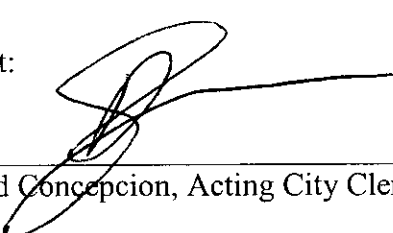
Section 2. The Mayor and the City Council of the City of Hialeah, Florida strongly support the adoption into law of Senate Bill 1212, introduced by Florida Senator Rene Garcia, proposing to penalize persons who smoke inside a vehicle while in the presence of a minor child of less than seven years of age.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 12th day of April, 2011.


Carlos Hernandez
Council President

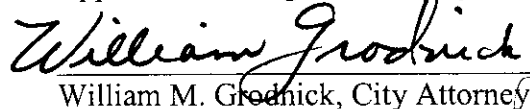
Attest:

Approved on the 14 day of April, 2011.


David Concepcion, Acting City Clerk


Mayor Julio Robaina

Approved as to legal sufficiency and form:


William M. Grodnick, City Attorney

Resolution was adopted by a unanimous vote with Councilmembers, Caragol, Casals-Muñoz, Cue-Fuente, Garcia-Martinez, Gonzalez, Hernandez, and Yedra voting "Yes".